CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A safety cover encasing burner control dials of a kitchen stove, said safety cover comprising:

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a laterally elongated rearward plate attachable to a stove surface adjacent said burner control dials, said plate comprising at least one aperture to allow penetration of said burner control dials therethrough;

a compartment bay pivotally coupled with said plate about hinge means; locking means cooperatively coupling said plate and said compartment

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wherein said compartment bay is pivotally rotated to conjoin with said plate to encase said burner control dials.

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- 2. The safety cover of Claim 1, wherein said plate is attached to said stove surface adjacent said burner control dials via doubled sided adhesive pads affixed to a posterior surface of said plate.
- 3. The safety cover of Claim 1, wherein said compartment bay comprises a recessed storage volume formed by upstanding adjacent walls, said recessed storage volume accommodating said burner control dials.

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4. The safety cover of Claim 1, wherein said hinge means comprises a plurality of plate cylinders complimentary conjoined with a plurality of bay cylinders, said plurality of plate cylinders and said plurality of bay cylinders cooperatively coupled via a dowel inserted therethrough.

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- The safety cover of Claim 1, wherein said locking means comprises:
 a hammer formed in said plate;
- a cavity formed in said bay, said cavity cooperatively engaging said hammer to impinge said bay to said plate.

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- 6. The safety cover of Claim 1 further comprising an extension for expanding the lateral width of said safety cover.
- 7. The safety cover of Claim 6, said extension comprising a front wall, an opposing rear wall and a sidewall, said front wall and said rear wall telescopically adjustable within said bay.

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